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SUBJECT: ACQUISITION OF SEIZED OPIUM FOR MEDICAL
REQUIREMENTS

REF: STATE 91823; CAIRO 1656

1. USINT HAS RECEIVED NOTE FROM ECONOMIC SECTION OF FOREIGN MINISTRY REPLYING TO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ON SEIZED OPIUM WHICH GOE MAY WISH TO MAKE AVAILABLE FOR SALE TO US MANUFACTURERS. FOREIGN MINISTRY NOTE STATES THAT "CONCERNED EGYPTIAN AUTHORITIES HAVE NO OBJECTION TO THE EXPORT OF OPIUM, IT BEING UNDERSTOOD THAT THE PERCENTAGE OF MORPHINE IS NOT KNOWN BECAUSE OF THE NUMEROUS SOURCES OF PRODUCTION." NOTE ADDS THAT MINISTRY WOULD LIKE TO KNOW THE PRICE WHICH US MANUFACTURERS WOULD BE WILLING TO PAY FOR SEIZED OPIUM.

2. WE SHALL ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN FURTHER INFORMATION ON SPECIFIC DETAILS OF OPIUM WHICH GOE MAY MAKE AVAILABLE FOR SALE. FAILING THAT, WE SHALL TRY TO OBTAIN NAME AND ADDRESS OF GOE OFFICIAL WHOM US MANUFACTURERS MAY CONTACT FOR SUCH TECHNICAL DETAILS.

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